

tions No. 100, No. 98, No. 99, No. 101, and No. 89, I am returning to the House of Representatives the following bills:

House Bill No. 510  
House Bill No. 514  
House Bill No. 516  
House Bill No. 497  
House Bill No. 129

Respectfully yours,  
BEAUFORD H. JESTER,  
Governor of Texas.

#### Adjournment

On motion of Senator Harris, the Senate, at 4:25 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

#### SIXTIETH DAY

(Wednesday, April 30, 1947)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President pro tempore.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Morris
Brown	Parrish
Bullock	Phillips
Carney	Proffer
Cousins	Ramsev
Crawford	Stanford
Hardeman	Stewart
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Jones	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Vick
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert
Knight	Winfield
Lane	York
Moffett	

A quorum was announced present.

Reverend J. E. Chester, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal approved.

#### Leave of Absence Granted

Senator Chadick was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Carney.

#### Reports of Standing Committees

Senator Carney submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,  
April 29, 1947.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Game and Fish, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 411, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

CARNEY, Chairman.

Senator Moffett submitted the following reports:

Austin, Texas,  
April 29, 1947.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred House Bill No. 42, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass as amended and be printed.

MOFFETT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 29, 1947.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred House Bill No. 589, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

MOFFETT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 29, 1947.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate:

Sir: We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 410, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

MOFFETT, Chairman.

Austin, Texas,  
April 29, 1947.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State

Affairs, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 406, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

MOFFETT, Chairman.

Senator Ramsey submitted the following report:

Austin, Texas,  
April 30, 1947.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Judicial Districts, to whom was referred House Bill No. 310, have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed.

RAMSEY, Chairman.

#### House Bill 22 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Weinert, and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 22, Making unlawful any contract which permits the retention of any part of the compensation of an employee for the purpose of paying dues to any labor union, without the written consent of the employee; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

#### House Bill 22 on Third Reading

Senator Weinert moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 22 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Jones
Brown	Kelley of Hidalgo
Bullock	Kelly of Tarrant
Carney	Knight
Cousins	Lane
Crawford	Moffett
Hardeman	Morris
Harris	Parrish
Hazlewood	Phillips

Proffer	Tynan
Ramsey	Vick
Stanford	Weinert
Stewart	Winfield
Strauss	York
Taylor	

Absent—Excused

Chadick	Mauritz
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The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed.

#### House Bill 98 on Second Reading

On motion of Senator Kelly of Tarrant, and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 98, Amending House Bill No. 46, Acts of the Forty-ninth Legislature of the State of Texas, Regular Session relating to perpetual care cemetery laws; and declaring an emergency.

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

#### House Bill 98 on Third Reading

Senator Kelly of Tarrant moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that H. B. No. 98 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Morris
Brown	Parrish
Bullock	Phillips
Carney	Proffer
Cousins	Ramsey
Crawford	Stanford
Hardeman	Stewart
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Jones	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Vick
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert
Knight	Winfield
Lane	York
Moffett	

Absent—Excused

Chadick	Mauritz
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The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin	Morris
Brown	Parrish
Bullock	Phillips
Carney	Proffer
Cousins	Ramsey
Crawford	Stanford
Hardeman	Stewart
Harris	Strauss
Hazlewood	Taylor
Jones	Tynan
Kelley of Hidalgo	Vick
Kelly of Tarrant	Weinert
Knight	Winfield
Lane	York
Moffett	

Absent—Excused

Chadick                      Mauritz

(President in the Chair.)

#### House Bill 21 on Second Reading

The President laid before the Senate as a special order for this hour, on its second reading and passage to third reading:

H. B. No. 21, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend subsection (h) of Section 6 of Chapter 324 of the General and Special Laws of the Forty-eighth Legislature, Regular Session, 1943, which had amended Chapter 13 of the Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Third Called Session, 1932 and its amendments; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Morris offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill 21, page 1, Section 1, line 47, by inserting between the words "account" and "to" the following: "in the State Highway Fund"; and by striking out the word "Fund" on lines 49 and 55 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Account."

The amendment was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—29

Aikin                      Brown

Bullock	Parrish
Carney	Phillips
Cousins	Proffer
Crawford	Ramsey
Hardeman	Stanford
Harris	Stewart
Hazlewood	Strauss
Jones	Taylor
Kelley of Hidalgo	Tynan
Kelly of Tarrant	Vick
Knight	Weinert
Lane	Winfield
Moffett	York
Morris	

Absent—Excused

Chadick                      Mauritz

Question—Shall the bill be passed to engrossment?

#### Motion to Reconsider Vote on Amendment to Senate Bill 302

Senator Lane moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment to Senate Bill No. 302, by Senator Strauss, was adopted on yesterday and asked to have the motion to reconsider spread on the Journal.

#### Message from the House

Hall of the House of Representatives,  
Austin, Texas,  
April 30, 1947.

Hon. Allan Shivers, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 103, Suspending the Joint Rules so that House Bill No. 246 and House Bill No. 807 may be considered.

Respectfully submitted,  
CLARENCE JONES,  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

#### Executive Session

At 11:05 o'clock a. m., Senator Brown asked unanimous consent of the Senate that the Senate hold an executive session immediately.

There was no objection offered.

Accordingly, the floor and galleries were cleared, and the doors leading from the Senate Chamber were closed.

At the conclusion of the executive session the Secretary of the Senate informed the Journal Clerk the following appointments had been confirmed by the Senate:

To be Judge of the 128th Judicial District composed of Orange County: Frank W. Hustmyre of Orange, Orange County.

To be members of the Board of Directors of the Upper Red River Control and Irrigation District:

For terms expiring July 3, 1949:

O. W. Stroup of Briscoe County;

E. W. Sheid of Briscoe County.

For terms expiring July 3, 1951:

C. C. Broughton of Childress County;

Roy E. Barr of Childress County;

O. E. Bevers of Hall County.

To be members of the Board of Directors of the Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority for six year terms to expire February 1, 1953:

Hartwell J. Kennard of Gonzales, Gonzales County;

W. M. Burnett of San Marcos, Hays County;

C. F. Combs of Cuero, De Witt County.

To be a member of the State Board of Embalming to fill the unexpired term of Charles B. Cook, deceased, term to expire May 31, 1947:

Porter Loring of San Antonio, Bexar County.

To be Judge of the County Court at Law of Grayson County:

Davis Brown of Sherman, Grayson County.

To be members of the Board of Directors for the Texas State University for Negroes:

Dr. W. R. Banks of Prairie View, Waller County, for six year term to expire February 1, 1953;

Craig Cullinan of Houston, Harris County, for six year term to expire February 1, 1953;

Dr. J. N. R. Score of Georgetown, Williamson County, for six year term to expire February 1, 1953;

Major T. Bell of Beaumont, Jefferson County, for four year term to expire February 1, 1951;

Dr. M. L. Edwards of Hawkins, Wood County, for four year term to expire February 1, 1951;

Ben Morgan of Corsicana, Navarro County, for four year term to expire February 1, 1951;

Charles Devall of Kilgore, Gregg County, for two year term to expire February 1, 1949;

Rev. I. B. Loud of San Antonio, Bexar County, for two year term to expire February 1, 1949.

### In Legislative Session

The President called the Senate to order as in Legislative Session at 12:10 o'clock p. m.

### House Concurrent Resolution 103

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the regular order of business was suspended to take up for consideration at this time:

H. C. R. No. 103, Suspending the Joint Rules so that House Bill No. 246, and House Bill No. 807, may be considered.

The resolution was read and was adopted.

### Bill Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate, after giving due notice thereof, the following enrolled bill:

S. B. No. 312, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2683, to enlarge the powers and duties of County School Trustees so as to authorize such trustees to enter into contract with the State Board for Vocational Education for the purpose of operating, administering and maintaining special schools and classes for the benefit of Veterans of World War II, and to receive money from the State for such purpose; and declaring an emergency."

### Adjournment

On motion of Senator Weinert, the Senate, at 12:15 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

### SIXTY-FIRST DAY

(Thursday, May 1, 1947)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Kelley of Hidalgo
Bullock	Kelly of Tarrant
Cousins	Knight
Hardeman	Lane
Harris	Moffett
Hazlewood	Morris
Jones	Parrish